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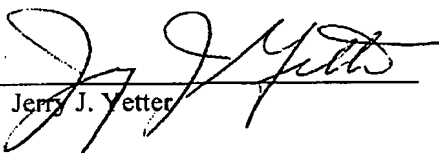
comprising a cross-linkable co-monomer. (Column 2, lines 20-23.) Again, the relevance of this teaching to the present invention is tenuous. Nothing therein relates to the problems associated with hologram formation, much less to the present solution. Printing on a water-based primer-coated, pin-holed aluminum is simply not suggested, in the manner of the present invention.

SUMMARY

It seems undisputed that the problem identified and solved by the Appellants herein, and in the manner disclosed and claimed, is not fairly suggested by the cited combination of art. Indeed, some of the cited documents teach away from Appellants' solution to the problem. Others, arguably, might-or-might-not provide different solutions, but that is irrelevant to the present invention. Still others merely comprise listings of various ingredients which could be used herein, but only after the inventive aspects had been conceived by the Appellants. In short, it is submitted that the rejection over the cited combination of documents ignores the requirements of MPEP 2141.02 and is likewise not supported under §103 for the reasons discussed above. The Board's reversal of the rejections of Claims 1 and 4 is therefore requested.

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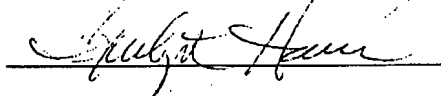
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